From: Michael Kulik/R3/USEPA/US
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Sorry for the delay, but I'm glad you have gotten what you need. Thanks for letting me know!

From: "Scott Detrow" <scott\_detrow@witf.org>
To: Michael Kulik/R3/USEPA/US@EPA

Date: 04/27/2012 11:48 AM Subject: RE: dep/epa questions

Thanks – however the deadline for my story is today. I am including relevant comments from Lisa Jackson on the Dimock issue – an interview she did with one of my colleagues in January. I've also found relevant info on both Dimock and mining permits on the DEP site.

From: Michael Kulik [mailto:Kulik.Michael@epamail.epa.gov]

**Sent:** Friday, April 27, 2012 11:42 AM

To: Scott Detrow

**Subject:** Re: dep/epa questions

Hi Scott,

I am just sending this to let you know that we are working on responding to your request and I will be in touch. Meanwhile, with regard to your last question, you should find useful information on the EPA website for PA under the Dimock subheading. Go to

http://www.epa.gov/aboutepa/states/pa.html

From: "Scott Detrow" < scott detrow@witf.org > To: Michael Kulik/R3/USEPA/US@EPA

Date: 04/24/2012 01:30 PM Subject: dep/epa questions

Hi-

In terms of a radio interview, I'm looking for someone who can speak broadly about the way EPA envisions its relationship with state environmental protection departments – is it more of an overseer or collaborator? I'd also like to ask about how EPA would describe its relationship with PA's DEP right now – constructive? Tense?

I'm also looking for explanations on why EPA took the following steps:

- -What led EPA to begin reviewing PA's mining-related NPDES permits in 2010?
- -why did EPA deliver water to Dimock residents and conduct further tests?

I don't need those last two on tape. I'm fine if you can point me to already-released information on these two incidents, or link me up with the right EPA person.

Thanks,

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